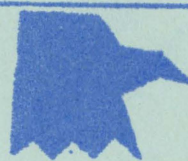


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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Many activities were planned and took place during the Christmas Holiday. The activity which seemed most enjoyable to most of the students was on Christmas Eve. After the Christmas party everyone rushed back to the dorm eager to open their gifts. All of the students seemed to enjoy and appreciate the gifts received from the Japanese Lumber Mill.

Another event that took place during the Christmas holiday was "open house" in the boys and girls dorm. This gave both boys and girls the opportunity to see how each others live and how the dorms looked.

Although Christmas was a homesick holiday for many girls and boys everyone seemed to have lots of fun during this holiday.

....Regina

## EDITORIALS....

A STUDENT COMPLIMENT

Every boy and girl who went to the New Year's Dance had a wonderful time. The dance started at 9:00 p.m. and lasted until 12:15 p.m.

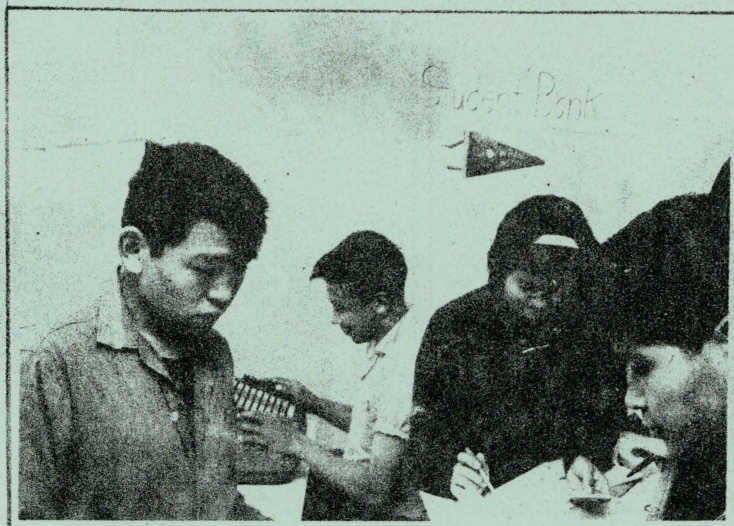
Everybody was dressed neatly. The boys had on white shirts and black slacks neatly pressed. Some boys had on matching suit jackets. The girls were also dressed in their Sunday best. Some had on pretty light colored formal dresses while others wore pretty suits. Everybody complimented each other on how he or she looked.

The staff members who went to the dance looked as if they were all ready to start a year with happiness by the way they dressed and by the looks on their faces. We all wanted the dance to last longer, but we were also sleepy!

....Elizabeth



BANKING  
TIME



Left to right: Richard Hensley, Carl Okboak, Helen Borenin and Alfred Goozmer.

# JANUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3	4	5	6	Mrs. Gillespie Assembly  Russian Orthodox Christmas	8
9	10	11 End of Semester	12	13 June Birthday Dinner 5 pm	14 Assembly Mrs. Hinde	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Snowball Dance
23 30	24	25	26	27 January Birthday Dinner 5 pm	28 Assembly Mr. Lemley	29





## BOOKS

Karen

Bendixen

The Blue Man, by Kin Platt (Harper & Brothers): Steve went to work at his uncle's hotel in Hampton for the summer. His first day there they told him how to run the hotel and what to do if something happens while they were away. The next morning his aunt and uncle went to town for some supplies for the hotel. Steve said he would stay in case someone comes while they were away.

After they left Steven began straighten up looking around the hotel. Just before supper when Steve was reading a man came in. He came up to the desk and Steve let him sign his name. He didn't talk and his hat was pushed down over his face and his collar was pulled up. Steve gave him the keys, told him which room to go to, and the man took his suitcase and went upstairs.

After he heard the door close upstairs he sat down and started to read. Then he remembered he forgot to take towels up to the room the man went to. He grabbed some towels and ran upstairs. He knocked but the man didn't answer, so he just went in. The man was standing in front of the light, bare up to his waist and his back was turned towards Steve. He turned around and Steve saw that he was all blue! He looked at Steve and started toward him. Slowly he walked toward him. Steve was so scared he couldn't move. The blue man was still coming....

Joan of Arc, by Nancy Ross (Random House): Joan of Arc was an uneducated poor farm girl, who tried to lead the armies of France against England and Burgundian. How could she do it when so many other great soldiers failed? In this book written by Nancy Ross it tells of the people who lived with Joan of Arc, and they tell why she thought that she could. She tells why the whole world has taken Joan the Maid to its heart.

## Who's Who?

Linda Hadley



Can you guess who this girl is? The girl for this month has long hair and the color of her hair matches her brown eyes.

She is 5 feet  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in height. This is her first year at Wrangell Institute. She is seen with M. K. Most of the time and is from Pedro Bay.

WHO DO YOU THINK SHE IS????

What about this boy? The boy for the month is on the A Squad basketball team, and is of medium height and weight. He is sort of dark complected and has big brown eyes. He is with E. H. Most of the time and comes from Angoon, Alaska.

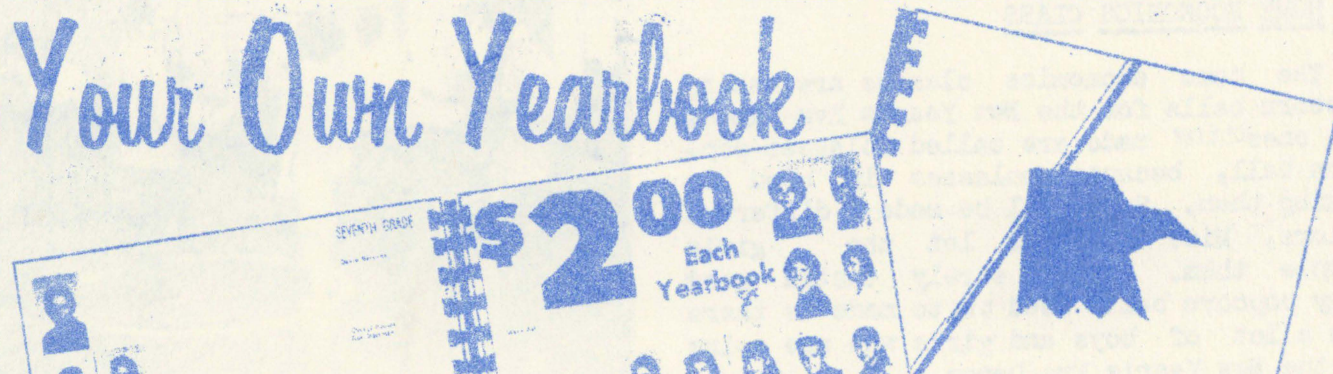
WHO DO YOU THINK HE IS????

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### MIDNIGHT SPECIAL

On New Years night there was a dance which was named the "Midnight Special". The dance lasted 3 hrs. and 15 minutes. A fourth of the gym was used as a restaurant and the other was for dancing. In order to get refreshments everyone had to show the people at the booths their food ticket. This dance was different from the regular dances and was lots of fun.

....Regina Katelnikoff

### LIGHT TOURS CANCELLED

This year there was no light tour in town because the busses were broken down. Most of the students were disappointed because they did not get to go and see the Christmas lights of Wrangell during the holiday season. Well, I guess that's life.

...Evangeline James

### CHRISTMAS TEA HELD

On December 26, a tea party was held in the recreation room in the girls dormitory. Instead of the tea, punch was served to the boys and girls of both dorms. Some of the school staff members also attended. The refreshments were pastries baked by the home economic girls. Miss Stephens was in charge of this tea.

After everyone had eaten, they were entertained by the older boys here at the Institute. Walter Jack and Charles Lockwood played guitars with Percy Frisby at the drums. This was also enjoyed by all.

....Linda Hadly

### IV HOME ECONOMICS CLASS

The home economics classes are making popcorn balls for the New Year's Eve Dance. The ones being made are called molasses popcorn ball, because molasses is used in making them. Some will be made of different colors. Miss Stephens let the girls sample them. They surely tasted good! Many popcorn balls need to be made as there are a lot of boys and girls who are going to the New Year's Eve Dance.

....Mary Apokedak

### OPEN HOUSE HELD IN DORMS

Last Saturday, on December 25th, the boys' and girls' dorms had open house. This meant anybody could go look around in either of the dorms. The boys went to the girls' dorm and looked around to see how it was. The girls went to the boys' dorms also. Some people from town looked around in both of the dorms. The girls' dorm was better than the boys' in some ways. The girls' dorm was cleaner, more decorated and the way some furniture was arranged.

....William Ilutsik

### CHRISTMAS PARTY HELD IN GYM

On Christmas Eve, a party was held in the gym at Wrangell Institute. The party lasted only an hour. It started at 6:30 p.m. and ended at 7:30 p.m. At the end of the party members of the Student Council and the boys dorm council passed out presents. After all were passed out, the boys and girls were told to go back to their dorms. Back in the dorms were presents for the boys and girls from their parents. All were very thankful for their gifts. Everyone had a Merry Christmas here at Wrangell Institute, and hope you also had a merry one.

....Charles Lockwood





## PRIMARY II

### THE BEAVER'S HOUSE

Beavers build their homes of sticks and logs. They build them in small rivers. They cut down trees near the water to use for their houses.

Beaver families help each other to build their homes and to get food. They have much work to do. Many times they do have to work all night.

A beaver house has two rooms, one on the top of the others. The beavers store their food in the first room. A beaver uses this to dry himself before he goes to the top room. The top room is the living room. The beavers sleep in this dry, warm room.

Every beaver's house has two doorways under water. The beavers swim underwater and climb up to the rooms. There are secret air holes in the top room, but there are no windows.

....Shirley Willis

### READING IS FUN

I like to read good books. There are many good books in the library to read. I like to read my school books too.

....Mary Adonis

We had a Christmas party at school Christmas. We played games and had nice refreshments.

....Darlene Kobuk

I had fun Christmas and New Years Day. We had Christmas goodies and toys to play with in the Dorm.

....Anthony Prince

Our class went to town on the school bus to do Christmas Shopping. We enjoyed our Shopping in town. There were many things in the stores to buy.

....Debra Condrary

# Classrooms

In the library there are many good books to read. We go to the library on Tuesday to read.

....John Camille

I had a time. My sister, Marie, came to see me for Christmas. She took me to town shopping. She took Timmy too. I had lots of presents.

....Roy Matsuno

## PRIMARY I

### SNOW IS FUN

The snow is white.... Leonia

We made a snowman..... Rachel

We always make snowballs... Thecla

We play out in the snow..... Kathleen

I throw snowballs..... Camille

I want to make snowman..... Frank C.

We make some snowballs..... Gloria

I slide..... Claude

I like to play with snowman... Michael W.

Ball..... Delores

### ARITHMETIC CAN BE FUN

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Wilfred:  $4 + 3$  igloo 7





### NEW YEARS EVE DANCE HELD

On December 31, 1965, two dances were held at the gym from 7:00 p.m. to 12:15 a.m. These dances were sponsored by the Student Council.

The first dance was held from 7 to 8:45 p.m. for the children under 12 years of age. They danced the "Twist," "Jerk," "Jitterbug" and slow dances. It was real nice to see the children participate in the dances.

The second dance was for the boys and girls who were 13 and older. The T.C.s also played at the dance. The T.C.s are leader, Walter Jack; drummer, Percy Frizby; and chording were Charles Lockwood and Ronald Plenikoff. They played some real good songs.

Refreshments were given to children only if they had a ticket that was given to the servers. The refreshments were sandwiches meat or peanutbutter, punch, and pop-corn balls.

The gym was fully decorated and a big bag of balloons was hung from the ceiling. This was torn open at 12a.m. then the balloons were popped by the boys and girls.

....Carl Okbak

### SEALING TIME ON THE PRIBILOFS

The Pribilofs Islands are in the Bering Sea where there are a lot of seals. You may have never seen a seal, but they are interesting animal.

There is a sealing season in the month of June and people sometimes go to watch the killing. During the sealing season the "sealers," who are men, get up about four o'clock in the morning, and go down to the Aleutian dining hall and have their breakfast. At about five they head for the sealing grounds and begin getting the seals in little groups. As soon as they are all bunched up they are taken to a certain spot to be clubbed and skinned. It is sometimes pitiful to watch them being clubbed, but it is the men's duty to do it.

The killing season ends the first part of August. When it has ended there is usually a little celebration by having an open house with some refreshments.

....Leonella Fratis



### CHRISTMAS ENJOYED BY ALL

What a wonderful Christmas we had. Our Christmas started with a classroom party. Miss Stephens gave us cupcakes and apple juice. We received animal cracker boxes. Only it had a picture of Santa and his reindeer on the cover. It was full of candy and a little surprise for each one. We played quiet classroom games. At the very last we opened up our mail box and exchanged Christmas Cards. We made these Cards in our art class. After that is was just fun, fun, fun! Santa was surely good to us. We thank all who helped to make this possible.

....Bernadette Penetac  
....Catherine Nattungak

We learned a lot of Christmas words as tinsel, wreath, poinsettia etc. Our teacher brought samples of these things to our classroom. We made others. Catherine Nattungak and Bernadette Penetac fixed our bulletin board. They copied the picture of a Christmas Card. We liked it very much.

....Francis Pete

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# Classrooms

## OPERETTA BIG SUCCESS

Last Thursday, December 23rd, 1965, the Drama Club presented an operetta in the gym at three o'clock. It was a real good play. Everyone of those who was in the play learned his part well. The play was about a very stingy, miserable man who did not believe in Christmas. He never celebrated Christmas himself and could not stand people who did enjoy Christmas.

The people that were in the drama play were: Micky Eleshansky, Alfred Goozmer, Ed Smith, Linda Hadley, Erena Shane, Richard Koso, Lyle Walker, Larry Hunter, Stella Sheldon, Mary Barr, Edna Riley, Selina Siamon, Jennie Aukon, Helen Eorenin, Ronnie Sam, William Ilutsik, Joyce Blackstone, Gloria Riley, Mary Brown, Barbara Billy, Howard Amos, Rueben Rock and Rose Prince.

The chorus sang some songs and some of the people in the play sang songs also. Everybody enjoyed the Drama club play.

....Jessie Nakarak

## GIRLS FASTER THAN BOYS

The boys dorm had a walk through fire drill. It took the boys ten minutes to get out because the little kids had difficulty waking up. Then on Wednesday night we had a real fire drill. The siren blew at eleven o'clock but this time the boys knew what to do. They were out in three minutes. This time the bigger boys carried the smaller boys out. The girls still beat us. They got out in two and a half minutes.

## FIRE DRILL SURPRISED ALL

Last week we had a fire drill at 11:00 P.M. The alarm went off and everybody got up and put on his shoes and fire blanket and walked out very carefully and calmly. One boy would have burned up if it was a real fire. He got scared and wondered why everybody was hurrying around. He then hid himself in the washroom.

So if you hear the fire alarm always check the closet and close the windows and doors before you leave. Do not run out and scream fire. Be calm. Remember not to panic!!

....Lyle Walker

## BAND PRACTICE STARTED

We have band practice two days a week from 8:00 to 9:00. Our instructor is Mr. Nutter. We would have had band practice earlier but the instruments had not arrived. We are learning how to play notes first. Some of the instruments are hard and some are not so hard.

We hope to have a good band before the year is over.

....Andrew Ramondos

## PRIEST COMES TO THE INSTITUTE

A Russian Orthodox priest came here on December 7th and left the 13th. His name is Father Cyril. He is the Priest of St. Micheal Cathedral in Sitka which recently burned down.

Father Cyril held confession for all the Russian Orthodox children.

Sunday morning, the 12th, he gave them all Communion. He was a very nice priest.

....Ronald Plotnikoff

## RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHRISTMAS ON ST. PAUL

OUR Christmas at St. Paul comes January 7. Our Christmas Eve is on January 6. It is our custom to go around to houses on the seventh to the ninth of January with a star.

The children go around to houses in the afternoon if there is no school. If there is school they walk around after school. When we go from house to house and sing, the people give us little treats like candy, cookies, etc. On January 9, we go to the houses, we didn't go to the seventh and eighth. Then we go to the graveyard then to the docks and beach. When we go to these places we sing our Christmas songs in Russian as we did to the peoples' house.

....Vera Sedick





# Sports

With

Walter Jack

The A Squad had a game with the town J.V.'s but did not gain a victory over them. But the boys all put up a good fight. The first half was 27 to 16 in favor of the J.V.'s. In the fourth quarter the Eagles were 21 points behind but they showed a big improvement from the first half. The final score was 40 to 46 in favor of the J.V.'s.

Scoring for the Eagles were Walter Jack 15, Charles Greene 9, Daniell Douglas 4, Richard Scott 4, Percy Frisby 2, Glenn Cook 2, Charles Lockwood 2, and Ronald Pletnikoff 2.

In the game on the 8th of January, the B Squad from the Institute played the town 7 and 8th graders. The game was interesting from start to finish.

The B Squad won over the 7 and 8th graders by the score of 34 to 23.

## Interview

Gloria Riley



NAME: Walter Jack  
BIRTHDAY: September 22, 1950  
BIRTHPLACE: Angoon, Alaska  
NATIONALITY: Thlinget Indian  
MAIN INTEREST: Basketball and "her"

NAME: Marsha Peterson  
BIRTHDAY: August 29, 1951  
BIRTHPLACE: Juneau, Alaska  
NATIONALITY: Thlinget Indian  
MAIN INTEREST: Dancing and town movies

## Typograph



MAB

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Howard Amos								
Margaret Elachik								
Alma Kingeak								
Marie Nusunginya								
Veronica Peterson								
Karen Bendixen								
Mary Ann Burr								
Emily Lane								
Rose Prince								
Helen Borenin								
Regina Katelnikoff								
Olive Nichols								
Gloria Riley								
Balassa Nick								
Mary Jane Brown								
Marsha Peterson								
Daniel Callahan								
Marlys Woods								
Alfred Goozner								
Marie Neakok								
Karen Mixsooke								
Lee Titus								



## CAMPUS



Charles Greene



Rose Prince

## REPORTS

The Snow Ball dance is to have a winter theme of all white and silver decorations and spotlights. Fine music and records will furnish the entertainment. The plans are not too definite.



### WHICH END?

"Man is born with two ends. His success depends on which end he uses most."

Everyone has a top end and a bottom end. They think with their top end rest on their bottom end. If they want to use their bottom end most of the time and rest or loaf around, their success in life will be doubtful. However, if they use their top end most of the time, success is certain.

Which end do you use most of the time? It might be a good idea to check and see. Your success in life depends on it.

Martin L. Heflebower  
Department Head, Guidance

### COUNCIL PLANS BAKE SALE

The Student Council members have planned a bake sale to raise money for the eye glass fund. The students' Homemaking classes and employees will bake pastries to contribute to the Bake Sale. They plan to have the sale in town, Saturday, January 8th.

### STUDENT COUNCIL SPONSORS DRIVE

The Student Council is sponsoring a drive to raise \$346.90 to pay the glasses for students. In the past the Sitka Lions Club paid for students' glasses. This year the Student Council is helping to raise the money for the glasses.

### SNOW BALL DANCE PLANNED

The Snow Ball Dance is sponsored by the January Dance Committee. The members are: Regina Katelnikoff, Edna Riley, and Marie Nusunginya.

### ANSWERS TO: WHO'S WHO??



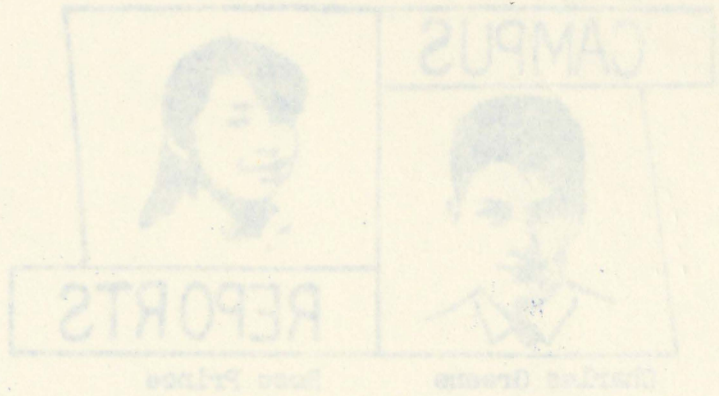
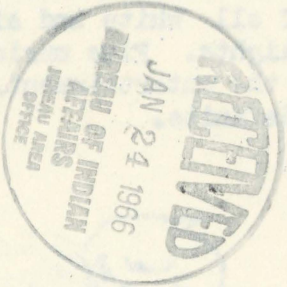
Emma Hedlun



Matthew Kookash



The new Bell dance is to have a winter theme of all silver decorations and silver records will be played. The place was not too crowded.



When in born with two eyes, the success depends on which eye he uses most. Everyone has a top eye and a bottom eye. They think with their top eye and rest on their bottom eye. If they want to see their bottom eye, they must close their top eye or look away from it. This will be a mistake. Their success in life will be decided. However, if they use their top eye and rest of the time, success is certain. Which eye do you use most of the time? It might be a good idea to check and see. Your success in life depends on it.

Don't forget to check your eyes.

COMMON PLAIN SALE

The Common Council members have planned a plain sale to raise money for the eye clinic fund. The students' homecoming class will help with the sale. They plan to have the sale in town, Saturday, January 28.

STUDENT COUNCIL PLANNING DRIVE

The Student Council is sponsoring a drive to raise \$100 to pay the glasses for students. In the past the girls have paid for students' glasses. This year the Student Council is helping to raise the money for the glasses.

NEW BELL DANCE PLANNED

The new Bell dance is sponsored by the January Dance Committee. The members are: Sylvia Jacobson, Boba Elise, and Marie Jacobson.

